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## WAS PLATE'S VIEW

Senator Jones' Interpretation

of Roosevelt Doctrine.

HIS ANSWER TO CRITICISM

Refers to the Proceedings Which Ant-

dated the Crucifixion.

CALLS COLONEL NEW RICHMOND

Says He Preaches Anarchy in Hon-

eyed Phrases Under the Ban-

ner of Progression.

Col. Roosevelt was portrayed in the

Senate today as the counterpart of

Pontius Pilate.

The picture was drawn by Senator

Jones of Washington, who sketched as

the groundwork the recent Detroit speech

of the former President condemning the

votes of the majority members of the

Lorimer committee favorable to the Illi-

nois senator as not being responsive to

the sentiment of their constituents.

"This is the latest rule for judicial

action suggested by this self-proclaimed

leader of progress," said Senator Jones.

"Because we have not followed it we

are not progressive, but reactionary.

This was the rule of action followed by

Pilate nearly nineteen hundred years

ago. This is the first time, I venture to

say, in our history or in the history of

any civilized people, that Pilate's rule

of judicial action has met the approval

of any man save those who would crucify

Jesus.

"If former President Roosevelt had

been standing on one side when Pilate

delivered Jesus to the Jews, after having

examined into the charges and found

no fault in Him, but at the demand of

the people turned Him over to them for

crucifixion, he would have clapped his

hands and exclaimed: 'Make me a

most honorable, most just judge!' At

least, he would have done this if he had

been as progressive then as he is now.

I am charitable enough to believe, how-

ever, that he would have been a re-

actionary."

Declines to Discuss Politics.

Senator Jones prefaced his speech by

saying that those who expected to hear

the sensational would be disappointed,

and that those expecting a discussion of

the presidential campaign need not listen.

He said he would not discuss politics.

He recited rapidly conditions which made

the present time prosperous, but said

that with everything to make us happy

"we are engaged in a saturnalia of po-

litical vituperation."

"Justice and fair dealing are thrown to

the winds," he added. "Appeals to pas-

sion and prejudice displace reason and

logic. Violence and corruption are sought

for eagerly and with no regard for suc-

cessful in our search. Sinister motives

prompt those who disagree with us and

none is good save ourselves.

"Under the banner of progression, an-

archy is preached in honeyed phrase and

fulsome flattery. Our sense of justice

and fairness is deadened by loud decla-

mation and insidious suggestion. Until

a short time ago supposedly new ideas,

as old as Genesis, were being advanced

and advocated with some show of reason

and prudence.

A new Richmond, however, has rushed

upon the political field. The real, con-

sistent, faithful leader of judicial polit-

ical thought, whose courage, consistency

and faithfulness have been the mainstay

of the people, has been supplanted by a

man who does not accept the doctrines ad-

vocated, became ill and exhausted. The

banner he was faithfully and bravely car-

rying was drooping.

New Richmond a Trespasser.

"This new Richmond rushed upon the

political scene, threw his hat into the

ring and shouted to the wavering hosts

to follow him in the highways of prog-

ress and victory. Hoping to reap where

others had sown, he sought to pluck the

fruit of victory to his own bosom. Having

worked and won with the despised stand-

pards, and not being practiced in the

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lars, soft cuffs and pocket; open fronts, long sleeves 50c

at.

of March 30 at Detroit, wherein the

former President charged that Senators Dil-

lingham, Gamble and Jones were reac-

tionaries because they recommended that

Lorimer be permitted to retain his seat.

Senator Jones then said:

"This argument may have caught the

fancy of those who listened without

grasping the full significance of the

statements made, but no proposition

ever advanced by the wildest anarchist

more subversive of the principle of hu-

man justice or human rights and good

government than the principal suggestion

contained in this statement.

Senator Jones argued at length that the

constituents of the senators named would

want them to vote on the Lorimer case

according to their consciences. He said

he did not believe there could be found

within his state one who is such a re-

actionary as to approve "the rule of ju-

dicial conduct practiced by Pontius Pi-

late. If Mr. Roosevelt made the sugges-

tion seriously," he added, "it is shocking.

If he made it ignorantly, it is pitiable.

If he made it to secure votes, it is de-

picable.

"You will note that this is not a sug-

gestion that the judges should decide a

case according to their judgment of the

law and the evidence and then to allow

the people to pass upon it. It goes

farther than that. It suggests that the

people shall make the decision, that the

judge shall disregard the law and the

evidence and try to ascertain what he

thinks the people desire to be done in

the case, and then act in accordance with

what he believes is their judgment. This

proposition is so extreme, so shocking, so

contrary to all principles of enlightened

jurisprudence, so antagonistic to the basic

principles of judicial action that have

been brought forth in the crucible of

time for the protection of life, liberty

and property, that I cannot conceive of

the state of mind or the purpose that

prompted its utterance. I leave this mys-

tery for the people themselves to solve.

Sequence of the Doctrine.

"If this rule is to be followed, then

judges must instruct juries that they are